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LOCAL & PERSONAL

NO-SAG-GATES. HONDO LUMBER CO.

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All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. 33-tf.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thallman spent last week in Lytle visiting relatives.

FOR SALE: One Mowing Machine One nice young Mare. R. C. Bless. 2t Mrs. Philip Haby of Riomedina was a patient at Medina Hospital July 31st.

Mrs. Ernest Oefinger had her tonsils removed July 23rd at the local hospital.

Shorty Hollaway underwent a tonsil operation at the local hospital Wednesday.

Miss Charlotte Miller is the guest of a former classmate at Menard, Texas, this week.

Miss Mildred Heyen of Lockhart is the guest of her cousin, Miss Eleanor Heyen, this week.

On July 28th Karl Henry Fasler of Yancey underwent a tonsil operation at Medina Hospital.

Mrs. Isaac Wilson and father, Mr. Tom McCall, visited Mrs. George Bailey in San Antonio Thursday.

Walter McCaughan of Yancey had his tonsils and adenoids removed on July 21st at the Medina Hospital.

Mr. Grady Fly Mercer of Crystal City is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Carter and family.

Mrs. Fritz Schueers has returned from an extended visit at Del Rio with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Fous.

Mr. John Karm from Castroville was visiting Mrs. Jacob Karm and Mr. and Mrs. George Karm Sunday.

Miss Matilda Jungman of Riomedina was a patient at the Medina Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.

Don't be misled. I pay 10 cents for all good eggs either fertile or infertile. Phone 138 W. Earl Watson.

Dance, Sunday night, August 7th, at Pele Koch Hall, D'hanis, Music by Willett's Orchestra. For young and old.

Mrs. Melliff Lippold returned Saturday from an extended visit at Galveston with her mother, Mrs. Lucy C. Van Fleet.

Prof. and Mrs. W. N. Saathoff and family spent Wednesday at Medina Lake where they enjoyed the fishing and swimming.

Messrs. Lingle Barnes and Clifton Rees of Thorndale arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Parnes and daughters.

Mrs. Minnie Eichhorn and Miss Julia Haas from San Antonio were visiting Mrs. Jacob Karm and Mr. and Mrs. George Karm Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Batot are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Reagan at Fort Worth this week. Mrs. Batot and Mrs. Reagan are sisters.

All through the month of July I paid 10c per dozen for eggs. What did you get? Bring me your produce and get top prices. Earl Watson.

Rev. and Mrs. Otto Schwae and baby and Mrs. Wm. Schwae, guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Grube and family, returned to Maxwell Monday.

Rev. E. W. Dechert assisted Rev. C. C. McKinney in a Revival at Pleasanton during the past week, returning Monday. He reported a fine meeting.

Mrs. O. G. Crow and children accompanied by Horace Crow, went to Mirando City Monday where Mrs. Crow is visiting her father, Dr. A. Wright, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson and Mrs. Bertha McCall went to Moore Tuesday to attend the funeral of their nephew, Mr. Frank Dunlap. Mrs. Dunlap was formerly Miss Alberta McCall of College Station.

Mrs. E. W. Dechert and son, William, and Misses Nellie and Irene Dechert's summer cottage at Kerrville, returning Friday. All express a great time.

Mrs. H. H. Crow and little grandson, John Henry Jennings, are visiting in Mirando City, having accompanied Mrs. Crow's daughter, Mrs. J. U. Sheppard, home after her visit here some weeks ago.

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OFFICIAL COUNT 1932 PRIMARY DEMOCRATIC PARTY

No. Precinct.	Total Vote Cast	For Submission	Against Submission	Sterling	Armstrong	Hunter	Wolfe	Frakes	Glenn	Ferguson	Putnam	Evans
1 N. Hondo	103	71	26	20	1	28	1	2	0	47	0	0
2 Quihi	25	18	5	1	0	3	0	0	0	13	0	6
3 Dunlay	32	26	5	2	0	1	1	0	0	22	1	1
4 Verdina	No election											
5 Riomedina	80	76	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	0	0
6 Castroville	261	260	0	19	0	2	0	0	0	231	3	2
7 D'hanis	108	99	8	14	1	20	0	0	0	68	0	0
8 Haass	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0
9 Natalia	63	41	11	16	0	24	3	0	0	16	0	3
10 East Devine	52	36	16	12	0	29	1	0	0	18	0	0
11 Black Creek	21	15	6	7	0	4	2	0	0	7	0	1
12 Yancey	76	24	46	44	0	14	1	0	0	14	1	0
13 Maverick	26	26	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	20	0	0
14 Biry	27	26	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	20	0	0
15 LaCoste	86	76	9	1	1	23	0	0	0	49	0	3
16 S. Hondo	190	103	48	67	0	40	3	0	0	68	0	0
17 Upper H.	11	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9	1	0
18 Elstone	No election											
19 West Devine	127	78	40	23	0	54	4	0	0	38	0	0
20 Mico	No returns											
Totals	1302	1000	223	227	3	238	16	2	1	731	6	16

toward the pastor and family. It was a joy for him to serve them for those nine years, and the separation was hard. "There are many things which might be said tonight", continued the venerable clergyman, "but this one thing I would leave with you that Godliness is profitable unto all things. It has the promise of blessings untold in this life; it gives one the assurance, through faith in Christ, of a happy ending and of life eternal." The Gospel which he had preached to them faithfully for nine years should also be their comfort and stay in the future, the speaker assured

his audience. In closing he urged upon the congregation to manifest a similar love to the new pastor and a hearty welcome to him such as were so graciously shown to their former servant. The blessing of God was implored upon all of his beloved flock.

Rev. Konzack of Castroville addressed a few remarks to the hearers. He based his words upon Hebrews 13: 8, "Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, and today, and forever." The blessings we enjoy in the crucified Savior were chiefly stressed by the speaker. He alluded in modest terms to the efficiency of Rev. Hasskarl, remarking that he is well known by all as a congenial, energetic, faithful and conscientious pastor, who was loved and respected by all with whom he came in contact.

A special feature which added to the beauty of the service was the music rendered by the Quihi Choir. They sang the hymns, "Bear Your Cross With a Smile" and "Blest be the Tie that Binds". The men's chorus also sang a number very appropriate to the occasion. The organization shows painstaking work on the part of both director and members.

The new pastor, Rev. Carl Weeber, with his family, is expected to arrive from Iowa very soon. There will be only one Sunday without service. On August 14 Rev. G. Langner of Knipawa will install pastor Weeber in his new parish.

The Anvil Herald joins all friends in wishing the departing Pastor Hasskarl Godspeed in his chosen field of labor, and trusts that the parish will continue to prosper under the leadership of Rev. Weeber.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

At the primary election held in Medina County Saturday, July 23, 1932, Precinct Chairmen for the various precincts were elected as follows:

- 1 North Hondo, V. P. King.
- 2 Quihi, J. R. Brucks.
- 3 Dunlay, John Zuberbuer.
- 4 Verdina, No election (John G. Brucks holdover.)
- 5 Riomedina, No election (Albert Bendele holdover.)
- 6 Castroville, Wilfred Wernette.
- 7 D'hanis, Victor Boog.
- 8 Haass, No election (Henry Bendele holdover.)
- 9 Natalia, R. U. Atkins.
- 10 East Devine, J. C. Thompson.
- 11 Black Creek, No election (W. H. Hy. Dubose holdover.)
- 12 Yancey, J. H. Burgin.
- 13 Maverick, No election.
- 14 Biry, R. C. Blackburn.
- 15 LaCoste, Wm. Santleben.
- 16 South Hondo, P. Jungman.
- 17 Upper Hondo, E. S. Rieber.
- 18 Elstone, no election.
- 19 West Devine, M. E. Dubose.
- 20 Mico, No returns.

The above Precinct Chairmen, together with the County Chairman-elect, Fletcher Davis, constitute the County Executive Committee for the next two years. The first duty of this newly constituted committee will be to arrange for holding the run-off primary in August. The run-off is as important as the first primary and each committeeman should give the duties of his position careful attention to the end that his precinct, and through each precinct the entire county may be enabled to give a full expression of the will of the people.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

There were only a few in attendance Saturday upon the Democratic County Convention and the selection of delegates was about all the business transacted.

Fletcher Davis served as chairman and P. Jungman as Secretary.

Delegates to the State Convention at Lubbock were selected as follows: H. E. Haass, D. H. Fly, Ed. de Montel, P. Jungman, Mrs. P. Jungman, L. J. Brucks and Fletcher Davis of Hondo; Wilfred Wernette and Jordan T. Lawler of Castroville; J. H. Burgin, J. G. Weekly and J. N. Wilson of Yancey; W. L. Dubose, D. G. Whitfield, J. C. Thompson and M. E. Dubose of Devine; and Victor Boog of D'hanis.

On motion duly seconded and carried the delegates were instructed to vote as a unit on all matters, and the state delegates were constituted delegates to all district conventions where Medina County is entitled to representation.

The convention thereupon adjourned.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

Pursuant to the Call of the Republican County Chairman of Medina County, and in compliance with the instructions of the Republican State Executive Committee of and for the State of Texas, the Republican County Convention of Medina County, Texas, was called to order on July 30th, 1932, at the Courthouse in Hondo, Texas, by M. Schorobiny, Republican County Chairman of said County.

The Temporary roll as approved by the Republican Executive Committee, as attached hereto, was adopted as the temporary roll of the Convention and was later made the permanent roll.

M. E. Howard was elected Chairman.

J. M. Finger was elected Secretary.

D. G. Reitzer was elected Sergeant-at-Arms.

M. Schorobiny and J. M. Finger were elected as Delegates-at-Large to Republican State Convention to be held at Dallas, Texas, on August 9, 1932. Other delegates elected were: Mrs. P. A. Welty of Natalia, Arnold A. Bendele of Devine and D. G. Reitzer of Dunlay.

Alternate delegates to the State Convention were: Mrs. Fred Hayes of Natalia, Martin Zinsmeyer of D'hanis, and Henry Batot, Sr. of Hondo.

Delegates to the 15th Congressional District Convention to be held at Brownsville, Texas, are: O. C. Applewhite of Natalia, and Walter H. Case of Hondo.

Alternates to the District Convention are: John W. L. Zinsmeyer of D'hanis and George Hartman of Hondo.

The election of J. M. Finger, Hondo, Texas, as Republican Chairman was confirmed and ratified.

Returns from the Precinct Conventions held on July 23, 1932, showed the following precinct chairmen elected:

- Alex Crawford, Chairman for Natalia Precinct.
- Walter H. Case, Chairman for Hondo Precinct.
- D. G. Reitzer, Chairman for Quihi Precinct.
- D. R. Webb, Chairman for Levine Precinct.
- Ed. Finger, Chairman for D'hanis Precinct.

The motion was duly made, seconded and unanimously carried that the Delegates to the Republican State Convention vote for Hon. John F. Grant for the Republican Nominee for Governor of the State of Texas.

HONDO-DEVINE ROAD BEING CONSIDERED.

Judge R. J. Noonan, Commissioners Hy. F. Buss of Hondo, O. W. Tondre of D'hanis, Robert Rihn of Castroville and J. W. Roberson of Devine, and President Garland Martin of the Hondo Luncheon Club, joined by delegations from Yancey, Devine and Jourdanton, waited on the Highway Commission at Austin Tuesday in the interest of the proposed new state highway from Hondo to Jourdanton via Devine.

The committee received a courteous hearing, the engineers for the Commission having already viewed the proposed routes, and received the Chairman's assurance that the matter would be given careful and thorough consideration. The Committee feels hopeful of securing the proposed road, barring unexpected complications.

NIXON WELL CASED IN.

In an interview with Mr. J. P. Nixon, on whose land Nixon Oil Well No. 1 is being drilled, just before going to press this morning, the Anvil Herald learns that the well was cased last Saturday at a depth of 1225 feet and a core of five feet of sand, smelling strong of oil, was taken out. Oil men say the core is a good indication of oil production.

Casing was set Saturday and as soon as ready, possibly today and maybe not for several days, the well is to be drilled in.

DEVINE NEWSLETTERS

From The Devine News.

DEVINE TEACHER DIED AT GAINESVILLE.

Miss Josie Katherine Delbrail, age 51, native of Medina County and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wipff of Devine, died suddenly Friday night at Gainesville, Texas, where she had been engaged for many years as H. E. teacher in the Girls' Training School. Miss Delbrail had been suffering from what seemed to be overheat, and had retired to her room complaining slightly; and when she did not return another teacher went to her room, but she could not speak, only motioning for what she wanted. She died in a few hours.

Her mother and younger brother, Fritz Wipff, here and another brother, August Wipff, of Warsaw, Ill., were called but failed to reach her in time to see her alive. Miss Mattie Huffler, also a teacher from Devine, was with her at the last. She is survived by her aged mother, step-father, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wipff, one full brother, Edward Delbrail, of Washington State, who could not be reached; and three brothers, August of Illinois, Charles of San Antonio and Fritz of Devine. A younger brother, Daniel, died in 1918.

Deceased was educated in the public schools of San Antonio, was a member of St. John's Lutheran church of that city; got her training in domestic science at the Gainesville school; taught two years in a Methodist school in Monterrey, returning eight years ago to the Gainesville school, where she was greatly loved by fellow teachers and students alike. Her father died of heart failure at the age of 30 before the daughter was born. She was of a quiet and rather serious nature; was kind to all whom she met and greatly loved because of her many gracious qualities of mind and soul.

The funeral was conducted Monday, 10 a. m., at the First Baptist church by Editor W. L. DuBose, pastor; L. R. Coeckham and A. M. Foster taking part; also Rev. J. E. Bagley of Pipe Creek, a friend of the family. The pall bearers were Reinhardt A. Weber, Milton A. Tondre, Overton Schmidt, Ira Schmidt, Elmer Delbrail, Lester Delbrail.

74 POUND BOY CATCHES 60 POUND FISH.

Pressley, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roberson, who weighs only 74 pounds, caught a yellow catfish from shallow water in Chicon Creek opposite the Robertson farm, one day last week, that measured 4 feet long and weighed 60 lbs. according to a fish story told by the boy's father, a reputable citizen. The boy located the fish in shallow water, succeeded in hooking it and staked him to a limb of a tree, called his father and mother to his aid, and the fish was carried home on a horse. This was no doubt one of the several big fish that escaped from the lake when the gates were opened on July 1st, when the dam was threatened by the high water.

DEVINE MAN GETS PATENT FOLDING CHAIR

E. J. Balmos, for many years Singer Sewing Machine agent, has just received his third patent, this one on a folding sewing machine chair. Mr. Balmos has been at work on this chair for several years; and has been making them in his shop in Devine, having sold around \$500. worth of the chairs made here. He will soon enlarge his shop and begin work making more of them, he says. He is confident that he now has a good seller and a very useful piece of furniture, which sells at \$6 each, on installments of \$1 the month if desired. Cheaper when all cash is paid.

M. A. Keller, the "Corn King", says this is the first year the big sheaf and elevator didn't shut down the whole year. It is now practically August 1st, time the market usually opens on new corn, and this week several thousand bushels old corn have been marketed.

FROM YANCEY.

Prof. and Mrs. Roensch and baby arrived from A. & M. College after an absence of five weeks.

Mr. Walter McCaughan was a patient at the Medina Hospital last week having a tonsil operation.

We are glad to state that Lloyd Bohmfalk has recovered entirely from his recent illness and will be able to come home some time this week. Helen is improving slowly. She will perhaps be home some time in August.

Mr. George Heilgeman, Yancey oil operator who has been busy setting up a rig at Lockhart, brought his crew in Monday morning for a few days rest.

Mr. C. J. Oefinger of San Antonio is here for a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Herman Fasseler is in Hondo with her daughter, Mrs. John Martin, who underwent an appendicitis operation at the Medina Hospital, and are now staying at the home of Mrs. Roy Berry. Mrs. Martin is doing nicely and will soon be able to go to her home.

Mr. J. G. Weekley spent the week end with homefolks at Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ward and children and Mr. T. M. Ward spent Saturday in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keck were weekend visitors at Lockhart, where their sons, Elmer and Earl, and their daughter, Mrs. Carwile, reside.

Mr. J. H. Null and family went to McAllen Saturday, returning Sun-

day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Ward are entertaining a new baby at their home.

Mrs. H. G. Wilson and daughter, Miss Dora Mae, spent Friday with Mr. Elbert Wilson and family.

Early Sunday morning Francisco Saratia and Antonio Rodriguez motored to Devine where they were united in marriage by Rev. Goertz.

A Mexican child, born on the 4th of July, passed away on Thursday, and was buried in the local cemetery. The mother of the infant died a few minutes after the birth of the child. The husband and father, Rafael Carasca, is working with Mr. J. N. Wilson.

F. W. Bohmfalk, Roy Breiten, John Berry and Sims Harris returned from Lockhart after a week's stay. They will probably go back some time during the week.

The camp meeting of the Seventh Day Adventists in San Antonio came to a close Saturday. A large crowd from here attended and several joined the church and were baptized.

Announcement of the arrival of a baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Brannen has been received. Mrs. Brannen will be remembered as Miss Bess Burgin.

FROM BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Hartung and baby of San Antonio spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wernette.

Miss Alma Bader returned home after spending two weeks in Castroville with relatives.

Miss Inez Nations and friends from San Marcos spent a few minutes here Monday.

Mrs. LaFounte, of Brackettville visited her mother here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Keller and children spent one day the past week with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Biediger.

Mr. Charles Hartung spent last week with his brother, Fritz Hartung, in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nations of Somerset spent Tuesday with Mr. Hugh Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schmidt and children spent one day the past week in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert DuBose and Miss Ruth and Theo from San Antonio spent the week with W. E. Love.

Mr. Robert Poe spent a few days at Lockhart.

Hughy and Tinney Love and Louis Biry spent Friday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wernette, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Henson and children spent Friday in San Antonio.

Mrs. Mary Schmidt from San Antonio spent one day the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bader and son from Three Point spent one day the past week with Ed and Geo. Bader and family.

Miss Gladys Godden spent last week with her father at the hospital in San Antonio. He was resting nicely.

Quite a number enjoyed a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Biediger Wednesday night. It was Mrs. Biediger's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Biry and son and daughter spent one day last week in San Antonio with her sister, Mrs. August Schmidt who is doing nicely after getting hurt in a wreck some time ago.

Mr. Earl Carl spent the week-end in San Antonio with his brothers.

Lloyd Biry spent the week-end with his cousins at Castroville.

Mr. J. Sharber from Pearsall is spending the week with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schmidt and children spent Sunday in Devine with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wipff.

Mrs. Earl Love and sons and Doak and Hope Love from San Antonio spent a few minutes with W. E. Love one day the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Etter and son and Louis Bippert from Castroville spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Biry.

Mr. Alfred Rahn spent Sunday evening in Devine.

Mr. August Bihlhart and a friend of Pearsall spent some time here Thursday.

Quite a number enjoyed a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wernette Saturday night. It was Alvin Hartung's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schott and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stein and baby of Rio medina spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rahn.

Mr. Alfred Biry and Miss Adelia and Alfred Biry and Mr. Jack Biry spent one day the past week in Castroville.

Russian Pacifism

The late Judge Parker was once talking about Russia.

"Russia is very pacifist," he said. "Litvinoff and the rest of them are always shouting about Russian pacifism. It's a joke."

Russian pacifism is more dubious than the eight-cent fish.

"Mr. Fish Man," an old lady said, "is this fish that you have reduced to eight cents a pound perfectly fresh and fit for consumption?"

"Yes, lady, sure," said the fish man, "but you'd better hurry home with it."

Nation's Highest Lake

The highest lake in the United States having an area greater than 0.1 square mile is Tulainyo, one and a half miles northeast of Mount Whitney, Calif. The elevation is 12,865 feet and the area about 0.2 square mile.

For Rent—the C. F. Haas cottage, near the High School building. Five rooms, sleeping porch and bath; equipped for natural gas and electricity; large garage, large yard; shade trees; located on gravelled street. Apply at Anvil Herald office or ring 127-3 rings.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Political Advertising

Announcement rates:
Precinct office \$5.00
County office \$7.50
All others \$10.00

FOR STATE SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce BENJAMIN FRANKLIN BERKELEY of Alpine, Brewster County, Texas for re-election to the office of State Senator for District No. 29.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE 77TH DISTRICT.

HON. A. P. JOHNSON

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

Upon the solicitation of many tax payers I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County subject to the November election.

Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,
P. C. JAGGE.

To the Voters of Medina County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Tax Collector of Medina County at the November election. Your vote and support will be highly appreciated.

OSCAR L. SAATHOFF.

To the Voters of Medina County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Tax Collector of Medina County at the November election.

Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,
ROBERT J. BRUCKS.

We are authorized to announce EMIL GARTEISER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 1.

We are authorized to announce A. W. HORNUNG as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1 in Medina County, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce H. V. HAAES, SR., as a candidate for re-election as Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1 in Medina County at the November election.

HERBERT DECKER.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for their loyal support given in the past, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Medina County, subject to the November 1932 election, and earnestly solicit your vote and influence for re-election, and promise if elected to continue to render courteous, prompt and efficient service.

Gratefully yours,
S. A. JUNGMAN.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor, it is a deep sense of gratitude that impels me to express my appreciation to the voters of Medina County, subject to the November 1932 election, and earnestly solicit your vote and influence for re-election, and promise if elected to continue to render courteous, prompt and efficient service.

Respectfully,
L. E. HEATH.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1.

Wishing to serve the public in the upkeep and improvement of roads, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election, and respectfully solicit your vote and support will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN H. WIEMERS.

Upon the solicitation of many friends I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election, and respectfully solicit your vote and support.

Respectfully,
HENRY LEINWEBER.

To The Voters of Precinct No. 1, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Commissioner for Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election, and respectfully solicit your vote and support.

ALFRED G. BRUCKS.

To the Voters of Precinct No. 1,

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Commissioner for Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election, and respectfully solicit your vote and support.

V. P. KING.

I hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the coming general election. I also wish to express my sincere thanks to the people of this precinct for the honors heretofore conferred upon me and promise, that if re-elected, I will continue to render

efficient impartial and economical service to the very best of my ability.

Yours to serve,
H. F. BUSS.

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT NO. 2.

This is to announce that I am a Candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, Medina County, at the November election and I respectfully solicit your vote and support.

Respectfully,
H. J. BIPPERT.

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT NO. 2, MEDINA COUNTY

In announcing my candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2 of Medina County for another elective term to the voters of the said Precinct at the November 1932 election, it is my purpose to stand on my record since coming into that office. If therefore you believe that I fully measured up to the confidence reposed in me as Commissioner, and that I have fully discharged the duties of the office, I shall solicit your support for my re-election to said office. And if elected, I shall continue to discharge the duties of the office as promptly, fairly and impartially to everyone as my knowledge of the situation will permit.

Respectfully yours,
ROBERT RHN.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRECINCT NO. 1.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Public Weigher for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, at the November 1932 election, and respectfully solicit the vote and support of all voters for the same.

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FOR COUNTY CLERK.

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H. J. R. No. 24.
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED
ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of
the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 13 of Article 8 of the Constitution of Texas
be amended so as to hereafter read
as follows:

"Sec. 13. Provision shall be made
by the first Legislature for the
speedy sale, without the necessity
of a suit in Court of a suffi-
cient portion of all lands and
other property for the taxes due
thereon and every year thereafter
on the sale in like manner of all lands
and other property upon which the
taxes have not been paid; and the
deed of conveyance to the purchaser
for all lands and other property thus
sold shall be held to vest a good and
perfect title in the purchaser thereof,
subject to be impeached only for ac-
tual fraud; provided, that the former
owner shall within two years from
the date of the filing for record of the
Purchaser's Deed have the right to
redeem the land on the following
basis:

(1) Within the first year of the re-
demption period upon the payment of
the amount of money paid for the
land, including One (\$1.00) Dollar Tax
Deed Recording Fee and all taxes,
penalties, interest and costs paid
plus not exceeding twenty-five
(25%) per cent of the aggregate
total.

(2) Within the last year of redemp-
tion period upon the payment of
the amount of money paid for the land,
including One (\$1.00) Dollar Tax
Deed Recording Fee and all taxes,
penalties, interest and costs paid
plus not exceeding fifty (50%) per cent
of the aggregate total."

Sec. 2. That the foregoing Constitu-
tional Amendment shall be submitted
to a vote of the qualified electors
of this State at an election to be held
on the first Tuesday after the first
Monday in November, A. D. 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 5.
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED
ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of
the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 7, of Article 11, of the Constitution of the State
of Texas be amended so as to
hereafter read as follows:

"Article 11, Section 7. All counties
and cities bordering on the coast of
the Gulf of Mexico are hereby
authorized upon a vote of a two-
thirds majority of the resident prop-
erty taxpayers voting thereon at an
election called for such purpose to
levy and collect such tax for construction
of sea walls, breakwaters, or san-
itary purposes, as may now or may
hereafter be authorized by law, and
may create a debt for such works and
issue bonds in evidence thereof. But
no debt for any purpose shall ever be
incurred in any manner by any city
or county unless provision is made
at the time of creating the same, for
levying and collecting a sufficient tax
to pay the interest thereon and pro-
vide at least two per cent (2%) as
a sinking fund; and the condemnation
of the right of way for the erection
of such works shall be fully provided
for."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitu-
tional Amendment shall be submitted
to a vote of the qualified electors of this
State at an election to be held on the
8th day of November, A. D. 1932.
(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 12.
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED
ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of
the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 55, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of
Texas be amended so as to hereafter
read as follows:

"Section 55. The Legislature shall
have no power to release or extin-
guish or to authorize the releasing or
extinguishing, in whole or in part, the
indebtedness, liability or obligation
of any corporation or individual, to
this State or to any county or defined
subdivision thereof, or other municipal
corporation therein, except delin-
quent taxes which have been due
for a period of at least ten years."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitu-
tional Amendment shall be submitted
to the electors of this State qualified
to vote on Constitutional Amendments
at the General Election in 1932.
(A correct copy.)

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Secretary of State.

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H. J. R. No. 6. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of
the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 1-a be added
to Article VIII of the Constitution
of the State of Texas to read as follows:

Article VIII—Section 1-a: Three
Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) of the
assessed taxable value of all residence
homesteads as now defined by law
shall be exempt from all taxation for
State purposes; nothing herein shall
apply within those counties or other
political subdivisions now receiving
any remission of State taxes, but upon
the expiration of such period of re-
mission this Section shall become ap-
plicable within such counties and po-
litical subdivisions.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional
Amendment shall be submitted to
a vote of the qualified electors of this
State at an election to be held
throughout the State on the first
Tuesday after the first Monday in
November, 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

PINK BOLLWORM OF COTTON
FOUND IN SOUTH FLORIDA.

The pink bollworm of cotton was
discovered a few days ago in south-
ern Florida, the Plant Quarantine
and Control Administration of the U. S.
Department of Agriculture, has
announced.

This insect, which does not occur
in any part of the main cotton belt of
the United States, was found in a
small patch of not more than two
acres of cultivated cotton near Miami
and in wild cotton in a section of
Florida extending from south of Miami
to Key West. This region is
some 400 miles distant from commercial
cotton plantings. Infestation has
been found in a native species of wild
cotton growing on the coral rock
formations of southern Florida and
the Keys.

The pink bollworm occurs in the
West Indies and in Mexico as well as
in the other principal cotton-growing
regions of the world but has hereto-
fore been found in the United States
only in the Southwest. The only in-
festation in the main cotton belt con-
sisted of an extensive outbreak from
1916 to 1921 in southeastern Texas
and southwestern Louisiana. This
outbreak was eradicated about ten
years ago and no specimens have
since been found in that region. The
infestation in Mexico, however, ex-
tends northward into western Texas,
New Mexico and Arizona, where cot-
ton is grown in certain irrigated sec-
tions. An eradication program in
Arizona is in progress at the present
time.

The Department of Agriculture, in
cooperation with the State Plant
Board of Florida, has taken immediate
steps to eradicate the newly
found Florida infestation and to pre-
vent spread during eradication work.
Fortunately, under the peculiar con-
ditions existing in and around this
section, the danger of spread to com-
mercial cotton-growing areas is con-
sidered relatively small and it is hoped
that the precautionary measures
now being taken will largely eliminate
any spread. Both the department
and the plant quarantine officials of
the States concerned believe that
quarantine action at this time is not
necessary and hope that the pest can
be exterminated without the necessity
of issuing such regulations.

The State quarantine officials of
five leading cotton-growing States
met with members of the Plant Quar-
antine and Control Administration and
the Bureau of Entomology at Atlanta,
Ga., on June 11, to discuss the
situation created by the finding of
the insect in southern Florida. All
agreed with the plan outlined by the
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ica's liquor problem is the lack of
common honesty to face the facts by
spokesmen on the subject.

The writer listened in on the de-
bate at the Republican national con-
vention and the most striking feature
of that remarkable debate—remark-
able for what it sought to obscure
and cover up instead of elucidate—
was the studied effort of both sides
to avoid facing the facts involved in
the matter of prohibition.

The plank adopted by the majority
—as were the speeches of its advo-
cates—is wholly without purpose to
offer a solution of the problem and
is a studied effort to placate the anti-
prohibitionists without offending the pros
and hoodwink both sides into staying
with it.

Yes, plain honesty to face the facts
is needed.

Refuse to make the government a
partner in the business by levying
taxes on it and you will make it so
cheap bootlegging and its worse evil—
liquor racketeering—will cease
because both will be profitless.

Zalous reformers can go back to
teaching the beauties of temperance,
practiced for its own virtue and not
endured because of subjugation, with
some prospect of doing good.

And having no occasion to tear
each other, like angry dogs over a dry
bone, we can turn our attention to a
solution of our economic ills and
either find that solution or force
predatory wealth to find another
"bone" with which to keep us divided
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is needed.

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Next Sunday morning the service will be conducted in the English language beginning at 10:30 o'clock. The Sunday School and Bible Classes will meet at 9:15. You are cordially invited to attend both.

The Luther League will hold its monthly meeting at the church on Sunday night beginning at 7 o'clock. The leader for the devotion will be Robert Brucks. A report of the delegate to the Chautauqua will be rendered by Miss Dorothy Grube. There will be no service at night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Britsch of Hondo stopped over here Saturday for a short visit with friends while en route to Del Rio to visit their daughter, Mrs. O. H. Knox, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Britsch own two farms and ranches near Hondo and they were rejoicing over the recent fine rain. They said their country was looking fine.—Uvalde Leader News.

Chas. Brett, uncle of C. R. Gaines, and two sons, Joe Brett and Gibson Brett, and the former's two daughters of Port Lavaca spent several days with C. R. Gaines and family last week. They were well pleased with Hondo and vicinity. They returned Saturday.

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THE PRICES OF WORKSHOES HAVE GONE DOWN. JUST RECEIVED A NEW SUPPLY. H. S. BULGERIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Zinsmeister from San Antonio spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Jacob Karm, and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Karm.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hollingsworth of Brownsville spent the weekend here with relatives and friends. Mrs. Hollingsworth was formerly Miss Hattie Winkler.

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BAPTIST NEWS NOTES.

The subject for Bible study in the Bible School on next Sunday will be the Ten Commandments. The lesson text is found in the 20th chapter of Exodus. It might be a good thing for those who may not be able to repeat these wonderful "ten words" to commit them to memory. At least, be on hand to aid in their study. At the morning hour the Pastor will discuss "The Weapons of Christian Warfare". You might have your heart softened some if you hear this discussion. The Pastor does not fail to miss those who are absent. Really, you will feel better if you come. Service closes from five to fifteen minutes before 12 o'clock. Short, but pointed sermons, these hot days.

All of our young peoples' meetings will be held at usual during the following week. Sunday evening the Baptist congregation is asked to meet with our Methodist neighbors for their evening service. They came out well to be with us on last Sunday evening, which we appreciate. Pastor.

Don't risk your hair and skin to experiment with petty supplies. It pays to pay a fair price for NESTLE permanents, color-rinse, hair-dye, and MARINELLO face powder, creams, and lotions for home use. Both are nationally advertised and the best on the market. LADIES' BEAUTY SHOPPE.

The Annual Celebration at D'Hanis will take place on Sunday, August 10th. Barbecued meats, salads, pies and cakes will be served at 25 cents per meal. Everybody is cordially invited to spend a pleasant day and aid a worthy cause. 21.

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Mrs. Ben Sittre and children from Brackettville were spending several days with her mother and brother, Mrs. Jacob Karm and Mr. and Mrs. George Karm.

Mrs. F. R. Grube and daughter, Miss Dorothy, and Mrs. Grube's mother, Mrs. Schwae, from Maxwell spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Jacob Karm and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Karm.

Mr. Ryall says drilling is expected to be resumed on the new test well on the L. J. Brucks tract next Monday or Tuesday and he hopes to continue it steadily until pay oil is struck.

Alfred G. Brucks and family and Mrs. John G. Brucks motored to Del Rio Saturday, returning Sunday. Mrs. John Brucks stayed there for a longer visit with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Eckhart.

Holders of Trades Day tickets will have a chance of winning one of ten cash awards next Wednesday, August 10, at Hondo's Trades Day. There will be a first prize of \$10.00 and nine other premiums, the lowest being \$5.00. See announcement elsewhere in this issue.

Elsewhere will be found the announcement of Emil Britsch for re-election to the office of District Clerk of Medina County. Mr. Britsch has filled this position for several terms and asks for your suffrage again at the coming November election.

County Agent C. M. Merritt and family returned Saturday from the Annual Short Course at A. & M. College. Mr. Merritt says this was one of the best meetings of the Short Course he has ever attended as there was more practical demonstration work than ever before.

The ladies of St. John's Catholic Church successfully sponsored a birthday party and card party at the school Tuesday evening. A large crowd of out-of-town visitors as well as local people were present and enjoyed the bridge, high five and rook. Prizes were awarded for the games. Cool fruit punch was served throughout the evening.

There was no formal program at Tuesday's luncheon, but Judge Lee Wallace and District Attorney K. K. Woodley, who were present as guests of the Club, regaled the membership with a series of anecdotes and humorous tales. Mr. Wm. Finger of D'Hanis was also a guest. President Garland Martin being in Austin on read matters, Vice President P. Jungman presided.

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METHODIST ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following announcements we feel will be of interest to many. Read them and see if they are of interest to you.

The Communion service will be observed Sunday morning as it is the first Sunday. The subject of the morning message will be: "Where Love Begins." This subject, we believe, is of vital interest to everyone therefore we urge your presence and hearing.

Sunday evening the second of the series of co-operating Sunday evening service between the Methodist and Baptist will be held at the Methodist church. As a special feature the ladies of the Missionary Society will give a play, the title of which is "Modernizing the Young Mrs. Patton." It will be interesting. We would be glad if every woman in this section could see it. Make up your mind to be present.

A Vacation Bible School will be conducted for two weeks. It is to begin Monday, August 8th, and extend until August 19th. Time, from nine until eleven in the morning. The groups being provided for are the beginners through the intermediate, up to and including 15 years. Every one within these ages is invited to attend. There will be no charges, everyone will be admitted free of cost. We are indebted to local workers who are giving of their time for this period of Christian cluture.

Another announcement, of interest to the young people: The Young People's Institute, which is to be conducted here next week, Monday, through Thursday evening, Aug. 8 to 11th. Ages included in this group are 16 through 23. Beside the local group of young people who are expected will be those from the churches from this part of the District. Make your plans to be in this Institute.

We feel that these programs will be of interest to many of our people, and we urge their consideration, especially by the parents, and also insist on their cooperation.

PASTOR,
P. E. Lancaster.

NEW FOUNTAIN METHODIST.

During the pastor's absence Rev. Dan Hardt of Kingsville filled at the morning hour. Everybody was glad to have Brother Hardt in our midst, also Rev. Wesley Hardt, who brought an interesting time to the children at the Sunday School hour. Come again. The evening hour was given to the Woman's Missionary Society. They, as always, rendered a very interesting and helpful program.

The pastor will preach again next Sunday at both services. Subject at the morning hour: "Confidence" evening hour: "The Triumph of Religious Training in the Home."

Everyone has a special invitation to worship with us.

NOTICE to the members: We will change day for Choir practice from Wednesday to Friday. Choir Practice every Friday night at 8:15 P. M. Let's use our talents for the Lord, but first train them. Come, be on time.

An excuse is something given to conceal the real reason. Come to Church services.

The Pastor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICE.

St. Thomas' Mission.

The Rev. H. N. Herndon of Uvalde will conduct evening service and preach this Sunday night at 8 o'clock in the chapel room on the third floor of the Leinweber building. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Thomas Stanley and son, Dale, and Miss Adavine Mae Lurly, of Texas City visited Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cameron last week-end. Dale Stanley remained for a longer visit.

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ELITE BRIDGE CLUB.
Robert Kollman was charming to her club, the Elite Bridge Club, and a group of friends Wednesday afternoon of last week. Zinnias in blazing colors were everywhere used about the home.

Spiced tea were served at the conclusion of the games.

High Club prize was awarded Mrs. Boon, and high guest prize Mrs. Alfred Schreers. Cut prize was won by Mrs. Horace Bradley. Those present were Mesdames Bendele, Volney Boon, Ed. Avery, Henry Windrow, George Shaw, Horace Bradley, Earl L. E. Heath, C. D. Eddleman, L. Taylor, A. H. Schreers, F. F. Taylor, E. E. Cureton, Garland Morris, M. J. Batot, M. L. Proxton, Merriman, L. E. Kollman, Elmer Warden, and Miss Lillian Brucks.

RIDER OF DEATH VALLEY.

Tom Mix and his horse, Tony, are back again in their second talkie, "The Rider of Death Valley", at the Colonial Theatre this Friday and Saturday nights. This one has everything typical of the Tom Mix western—plenty of suspense and heroic battles by Tom and Tony. Mix is a rider who comes to the aid of a prospector when he sees dirty work by a couple of bad men who are robbing the prospector's gold mine which is located in Death Valley. A thrilling rescue takes place in Death Valley.

Besides Tom Mix the cast includes Wilson, as feminine lead, and talented players.

Next week, "Sinners in the Sun", stars Carole Lombard and Chester Morris.

INDO VISITORS LAND TARPOON.

Among the visitors tarpon fishing last week was a group of cattlemen from Hondo.

After 15 minutes of trolling around rocks in a chartered boat the fish hooked and landed, much to the delight of one who lost his 10-gallon can while vigorously engaged in scuffle.

When questioned about the hat answer was: "What do I care about the hat. I'll sell a couple of hats and buy another!"

The group included O. H. Miller, M. Finger and B. Bomba, prominent Hondo cattlemen.—Corpus Christi paper.

CLASSES EXPERT TO VISIT MEDINA COUNTY.

Molasses expert from the Washington office will visit Hondo and Medina County Friday and Saturday, August 5th and 6th. All of the farmers who made molasses are urged to visit Mr. John Wiemer's farm southeast of Hondo, Saturday at 10 A.M. for a molasses demonstration.

If you have made molasses this year are requested to bring a sample of your molasses with you to be tested.

C. M. MERRITT, County Agent.

A CHAPTER FROM ANCIENT HISTORY.

Sheriff C. J. Schuehle and Mr. Alvin Finger went to Del Rio Thursday and brought back to Hondo and placed in jail a young man by the name of Hoover who is under indictment here for theft of a horse and had been arrested in Eagle Pass. The young man is charged in the indictment with stealing a horse, saddle and other riding equipment. He disposed of the property in Mexico and the same has not yet been recovered.

LEAGUE NOTICE.

The Hondo Luther League will hold its monthly meeting Sunday night, August 7th, at 7 P.M. Robert Bracks will be leader of the topic.

Miss Elvera Schreers will give the scripture reading. All members are present.

Reporter.

GROHOMA SEED FOR SALE.

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DANCE

For Young and Old

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Castroville, Texas

SUNDAY NITE, AUGUST 7

Big Entrance Prizes, also prize

for best waltz dancer couple.

Music by Paul Tschirhart and His Orchestra.

EVERYBODY INVITED

Admission: 35c and 15c



MR. AND MRS. GEORGE HAASS

Taken about the time of their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

A PIONEER PASSES

Mrs. Anna Haass, widow of the late George Haass, died at the old family homestead on the Francisco Creek at 8:30 o'clock, Monday, August 1, 1932, of infirmities incident to old age. Her remains were laid to rest beside those of her late husband in the family cemetery on the Francisco, Tuesday afternoon, John Henry Haass and Louisa M. Haass, the latter born on Francisco Creek in 1863 and died Saturday, December 19, 1931.

After a life of 92 years, one month and sixteen days, during which time she shared the hardships and privations of the frontier and pioneer life and saw the country transformed from an Indian-infested wilderness into a land of safe and happy homes, she comes to the end of the journey. At her bier and in the midst of a throng of sorrowing relatives and friends, her pastor paid the following deserved tribute to her memory:

As a wife and mother, she was a most devoted and affectionate woman, and as a friend faithful unto the end. During her long life she at all times enjoyed the love and esteem of all who knew her in the highest degree. The presence of so many of her former neighbors and friends as well as the many floral offerings are a testimony of the high esteem in which she was held by all who knew her. It is, however, as a Christian and a member of the household of faith that her Christian virtues show forth eminently. At all times and under all conditions of life she let her light shine forth in words and in deeds and thus was at all times an inspiration for good to the members of her own household as well as to her friends and neighbors. May she rest in peace and rest, which our merciful God promised all, who are loyal and faithful unto the end.

From Rev. Konzack's notes and data furnished us by Judge H. E. Haass, nephew of the deceased, we compile the following:

Mrs. George Haass (nee Anna Taeschler) was born of Christian parents June 15, 1840, in Zofingen, Switzerland. As a child of about 6 years of age she came to America with her parents, Bartholome Taeschler and wife, Barbara Taeschler, and sister, Eliza Taeschler. The father was a Castro colonist and on April 18, 1850, received a grant of colony lands from Henry Castro, being survey 29 and 30 in district 2, situated below Devine in Medina County. The family, however, made their early home at Quihi where, on April 1, 1858, the Castros conveyed to Barbara Taeschler lot 7 of 20 acres out of survey 1. H. Castro grant. During the time between 1846 and 1860, some part if not all of the family, including the deceased, returned for a while to their former home in Switzerland where she spent a part of her girlhood. Returning to America, on February 7, 1860, she entered into the holy estate of marriage with the late George Haass, went with him to their home on the Francisco, faithfully shared with him for 65 years, to the time of his death, the woe and woe of married life, and ended her days after seventy-two years residence therein in the home to which she had come as a bride.

The offspring of this happy and prosperous union were 12 children of whom 5 preceded her in death. There live to mourn her death one son, Mr. Phillip Haass of Dunlap, and six daughters. The daughters are: Mesdames Eliza Sauer of Brackettville, Emma Graff of Hondo, Paulina Bilhertz of Devine, Adela Heath of Devine and Miss Louisa Haass of the Francisco community, the latter having remained with her mother in her declining years and tenderly nursed and cared for her until it pleased God in His wise providence to call her to her eternal reward. Besides the above mentioned,

4-H CLUBS IN MEDINA COUNTY.

Boys and girls are enrolling in club work in Medina County to feed out one or more calves, lambs or pigs for the Medina County Fair to be held November 10-11th at Hondo. Calves and lambs will be exhibited at the county fair and will be taken back home and fed for the early spring show to be held at the Fair grounds the latter part of February or the first of March. Communities are being visited as fast as possible as time is limited.

It is possible that I may not be able to call on each boy or girl in the County, so if you want to join the club please drop me a line or phone me, and I will be glad to select your lamb, calf or pig.

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DIED.

Miss Parmelia Orphina Powell died at her home in Hondo Saturday, July 30, 1932, aged 79 years, 8 months and 14 days. She was buried in Oakwood cemetery Sunday afternoon, Rev. P. E. Lancaster, pastor of the local Methodist Church, conducting the funeral services.

The deceased was born Nov. 16, 1852, in Kentucky. When she was but a baby her parents migrated to Texas and settled in DeWitt County, where she lived until 1906. She then came to Medina County and lived near Tarpley until 1918 when she came to Hondo, where she resided until her death, July 30, 1932.

Miss Powell was one of eleven children, three boys and eight girls, only two of whom survive her, J. A. Powell and Mrs. E. B. Schneider, both of Hondo. She joined the Methodist Church when but a girl.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this means of extending our thanks and appreciation for the many expressions of sympathy extended us in our sorrow over the death of our beloved sister and aunt, the late Miss Parmelia Orphina Powell. We are especially grateful to Rev. P. E. Lancaster for the beautiful service and to all for the beautiful flowers.

Sincerely,
J. A. Powell,
Mrs. E. B. Schneider
and Children.

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WEATHER REPORT.

Hondo, Texas, for July, 1932—Rainfall, 9.99 inches; since January 1st, 21.35 inches. Temperature, highest 106 on 18th; lowest, 70 on

14th. Five rainy days, 24 clear. Part cloudy, 3 cloudy.

H. E. HAASS.

Vol. Observer, U. S. W. E.

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Be on hand promptly
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Notice: Hereafter ticket-holders are requested to deposit their coupons at the stores about town before the drawing and not wait to bring them to the square as it causes delay in effecting the drawing.

TELL YOUR NEIGHBORS ABOUT TRADES DAY

LA COSTE LEDGERETTES

From The LaCoste Ledger.

WEDDING.

On Tuesday evening, at 7:00 o'clock, July 26th, 1932, Miss Meda Reus became the happy bride of Mr. Ralph Ahr, in the Zion's Lutheran Church at Castroville, Rev. Carl Konzack performing the ceremony.

The bridal party entered church to the strains of a bridal march played by Miss Renata Wurzbach at the organ, and Miss Tusnelda Wurzbach playing the violin, in the following order; Miss Meda Haas and Albert Reus followed by Miss Ella Hitzfelder and Walter Etter, then came the maid of honor, Miss Alice Etter meeting the groom at the altar. Then Norma Ahr, followed by the bride came the flower girl, little Miss and her brother Herman Reus.

The bride was dressed in white flat crepe, and veil of tulle, worn in cap effect and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The maid-of-honor was dressed in green while Miss Haas was in blue and Miss Hitzfelder was in pink and all carried bouquets of pink roses. The flower girl was dressed in yellow and carried a basket of pink roses.

The church choir rendered three hymns, after the services the bridal party and invited guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents, where a grand supper was served.

The bride is the youngest and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Reus, while the groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ahr, all of LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Ahr left on a honeymoon trip to Dallas and other points. Upon their return they will make their home at LaCoste, where Mr. Ahr is engaged in farming.

This paper joins the many friends of the young couple in extending its congratulations. May they enjoy a

prosperous and happy married life.

Com. Robt. Rihm from Castroville was a LaCoste visitor Wednesday. Gus. A. Neuman from Riomedina was here on business Wednesday. Joe Gross from below D'Hanis was visiting relatives here Wednesday.

Emil Moeller from near Macdona was a short visitor here Wednesday. O. J. Wurzbach from Cliff was a business visitor here Monday.

Adolph Ihnen from Pearson was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. D. J. Herzing and son, Donald, and daughter, Doris, from Kirby paid homefolks here a visit the past week.

Mrs. Emil Mangold and daughter, Miss Lillian, and son from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

C. W. Burell and daughter, Miss Cornelia, from Castroville were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Joe A. Bader, proprietor of Three

Point Service Station at Castroville, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Jungman from San Antonio is spending her vacation with homefolks here this week.

Miss Olga Geiger from San Antonio is spending her vacation with homefolks here.

Mrs. Theresa Obets from San Antonio was visiting homefolks here for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and son from Cliff were visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Val. Mangold and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mangold of San Antonio were visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keller and children were visiting homefolks at Castroville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Keller were visiting homefolks at Castroville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lutz and daughters from San Antonio were visiting relatives at Yellow Banks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred List and family from San Antonio were visiting relatives here Sunday.

John Koenig and daughter, Miss Elsie, were San Antonio visitors one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mechler from

Yellow Banks were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Koenig from San Antonio were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Halbardier from Castroville were LaCoste visitors last Friday.

E. W. Tschirhart and son from Riomedina were LaCoste business visitors Monday.

Mrs. Rosa Geiger and John Geiger and daughter, Miss Ida, were visiting Miss Annie Geiger at the Santa Rosa Infirmary last Friday.

Messrs. Curg. Talley, H. E. Roberts and Alex F. Lieck from the Cliff

Community were business and pleasure visitors here Monday.

Ralph Tschirhart, Manager of Ed. A. Tschirhart & Son Store at Castroville, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. Ulrich B. Kempf and little daughter from Castroville were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller and Miss Octavia here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mangold, formerly of San Antonio, moved into their home here this week where they will make their home for some time.

Misses Isabella Mangold, Frances Mechler and Hazel Jungman are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold at Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Christilles and Misses Marie and Faustine Christilles returned Monday from a week's trip to Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Arthur Metzger and mother, Mrs. Anton Krause, from San Antonio are visitors with Mrs. R. J. Mangold for the week-end.

There were so many people here Monday for the funeral of little Julian Mangold that it is impossible for us to try to mention names.

Mrs. W. A. Reicherzer and daughter, Florence, and Mrs. H. H. Matthies from San Antonio were visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mechler and Mr. and Mrs. G. Wall from the Sauz spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mechler at Yellow Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Flathouse and daughter, Miss Caroline, from Macdona were visiting relatives at Cliff Monday.

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NOT A DRAB STORY

By Fannie Hurst

(by McCuller Newspaper Syndicate)

This may seem a drab story. Certainly it is not a gilded romance of life lived in the gayer moods of things-as-they-were. But since the heart is the source from which life drains its happiness and the heart of Ella was on its own way to find its own fulfillment, what may seem drab to the outside world was not that to this slim, somewhat grim girl.

There is no doubt that she was one of those persons born to carry more than her share of the world's responsibility. At seventeen, she was earning the upkeep and expense of her home which consisted of a five-room

and a two-family house on a pre-

stated street. This she shared with her mother, a gay, rather childish woman who had never caught up with the years, and with her father, a building contractor, who was, even then, beginning to lose his sight.

From the point of view of many of her friends, Ella's mother was a trial

to tax her endurance beyond

end. She was an airy person of other good Eastern family connections who had never become reconciled to what she regarded as the more aspects of Middle-West life. The city in which she lived bored her. There was an air of patronage about the little lady.

Her habit was to lie abed mornings, with her daughter and husband, both of whom she adored, to scuttle

out the kitchen for breakfast before they hurried away to work. More than

she waited for them to prepare the evening meal when they came

home from their work. She was the sort of woman who willfully creates within herself inefficiency, thereby at the same time forcing those about her to acquire skill at chores which would naturally be outside their realm.

There was no reason why Ella and her father should have been carrying on their business lives and at the same time carrying on their shoulders the responsibilities of the home. But that was the case. It had been, ever since Mrs. Lee was married to her husband and ever since Ella was tall enough to stand shoulder-high to a kitchen sink.

John Lee, long ago reconciled to this unequal balance of power in his home, was devoted in spite of himself to this little woman, his wife, carried on dogged, relentless in his routine, even the grim fear of impending blindness began to descend upon him.

At seventeen, Ella Lee, too old for years, was assistant in a dentist's office. She was a quiet girl, far too slender with a mouse-like face, taupe-colored hair which in a bobbed-hair style she wore in two mats against her ears. In Mrs. Lee's eyes, Ella, in her pallid way, bore the imprints of the aristocracy of the world "back East," a semi-mythical world by now, which Mrs. Lee's imagination had emulated as the years marched on. She was fond of visualizing grandeur of her girlhood back East that had never existed. In all sincerity, she cherished the belief that she had made the supreme social sacrifice in marrying John Lee and migrating to this Middle-Western city.

Meanwhile, endowed with the sometimes surprising vitality of the slender in body, Ella began to assume more and more the affairs of that household. Inevitably, there came the day when her father, blind, parsimoniously pensioned by the corporation that had employed him for the forty middle years of his life, was obliged to subserve his activities. It meant a severe kind of pinching for the household. Only the facts that Ella, through a stroke of incredible good fortune, obtained a better-paying position in the office of a nose-and-throat specialist, and that a newspaper advertisement had brought in a lodger for the best room in the flat, were the Lees able to make both ends meet.

It was hard, rutty sledding for a shoulder. And it looked as if Ella's frail shoulders could scarcely bear the load. First, her father, along with the collapse of his eyesight, suffered a nervous breakdown. Then, for one reason or another, the lodger they had been able to obtain left almost without warning for reasons that had no bearing upon satisfaction or dissatisfaction at the Lees'.

Mrs. Lee, ineffectual as ever, tried her hand at making fancy candies for the Woman's Exchange and even attempted to do a bit of sewing for the neighbors. But it was no use; she was a futile, spoiled woman. And then of this condition was due to herself. She babbled her mother, who assumed a load that might have staggered a far more robust person.

Her father, feeble in strength, seriously gone in resistance, and by the first years of learning, his lesson of reconciliation to blindness, came slowly and unconsciously to demand more and more of a load that not only obscured her but jeopardized her health.

She only knew that he loved her and needed her; that she was indis-

pensable to his darkness and irreplaceable in his plight.

The pathos of this gaunt old man, empty-eyed, empty-handed, was almost more than she could bear. No labor of love was too much. She got up at dawn because he was sleepless then, and she could give to him the few precious hours before her departure from the house. Her return from the physician's office where she was employed was made in breathless, hurried fashion so that she might give him a few extra moments before the preparation of dinner. Throughout all this, Mrs. Lee, well-meaning, bleeding sympathy for her husband, agonizing for her daughter, succeeded only in making herself more and more of an impediment.

Her cooking was so bad. Time and time again the luncheons which she served to her husband while Ella was at her work came scorched and tasteless to the table, irritating the nervous old man almost beyond endurance. Finally, it became Ella's chore, before she left the house in the morning, to prepare her father's lunch, place it in the icebox and leave written instructions to her little scatter-brained mother precisely how the food should be warmed.

"Poor Ella," said the neighbors, "I don't see how she stands it."

Neither did Ella, for that matter, but fortunately there was not much time to wonder about it.

The days were all too short for what she had to accomplish during them; the nights all too brief for the amount of sleep her tired body required.

The matter of lodgers, one of their major sources of income by now, was a troublesome and nerve-racking one. It was not that they did not seem satisfied, but almost invariably, once they obtained one, he or she would be called out of the city on the death of a relative or a change of position or some incident over which they had no control.

A young man named Nestus Nevins was to be the ultimate lodger who remained. He was a shell-shocked fellow of about thirty-two who found himself, because of physical disabilities, forced to live on an income which amounted to about ninety dollars a month. The capital representing this money had been left him by his parents, in trust, when he was only nineteen. It required care and discretion, in this day and age, to live on it.

He was a pale-eyed, timid fellow, by no means unintelligent, but a boy whose delicate health, both in childhood and later, owing to shell shock, had developed certain inhibitions and a lack of aggressiveness. He liked books and was capable of lying five or six hours of the day and reading. He was not averse to putting about his room, trying his hand at composition and writing or doing a bit of carpentry for Mrs. Lee, throughout the long bright days, without so much as leaving the house.

He was the first young man who had ever cast a second glance at Ella. Over night, as it were, here life had taken on a turbulence. Excitement for this pale, lustreless girl that was without precedent in her entire experience. The days had come flamingly alive. Everything had taken on a significance that it had never claimed before. It was one thing to be just alive. It was another thing to waken to days that suddenly were tipped with the strange beauty of a strange meaning.

Mrs. Lee saw it happening. She saw the young Nestus begin to cast the magnetized eye of attraction upon her child. Strange tumults beat in her. She was the mother ambitious for her offspring. Romance had come even for Ella who, somehow, up to now, had seemed immune.

It was a strange enough courtship. The pallid youth, lying around the house all day, only perk up enough strength to put on his collar and smooth his hair as the hour of Ella's home-coming approached. Evenings, they sat in the stuffy little parlor, Ella

reading to her father, or the four of them, aided and abetted by a system which Ella had worked out for the blind man, playing bridge.

The moments of the young people

alone together were so rare and sporadic that when the engagement of their troth finally came, Mrs. Lee, for the life of her, could not figure out where and how the words of tryst could have taken place. But they had.

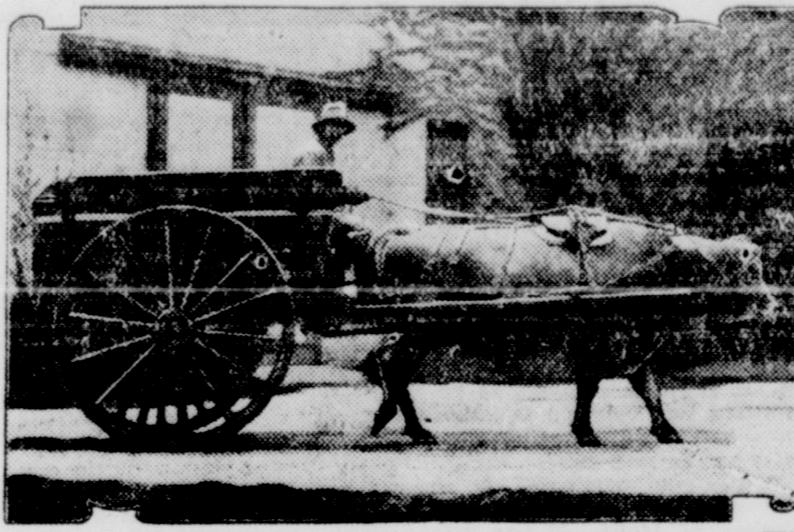
Ella and Nestus were married in the little parlor one Sunday afternoon so that the occasion need not interfere with her office work.

The household goes on as before, only there is the addition of Nestus Nevins now, who, in his way, is as much to be babied as Mrs. Lee or her husband.

But this is not a drab story. Ella, in her squirrel cage of service, is happy.

Negotiations for the location of a broom plant at Paris are under way between Oklahoma men and the Lamar County Chamber of Commerce.

Tell your real estate wants to Pondo Land Co.



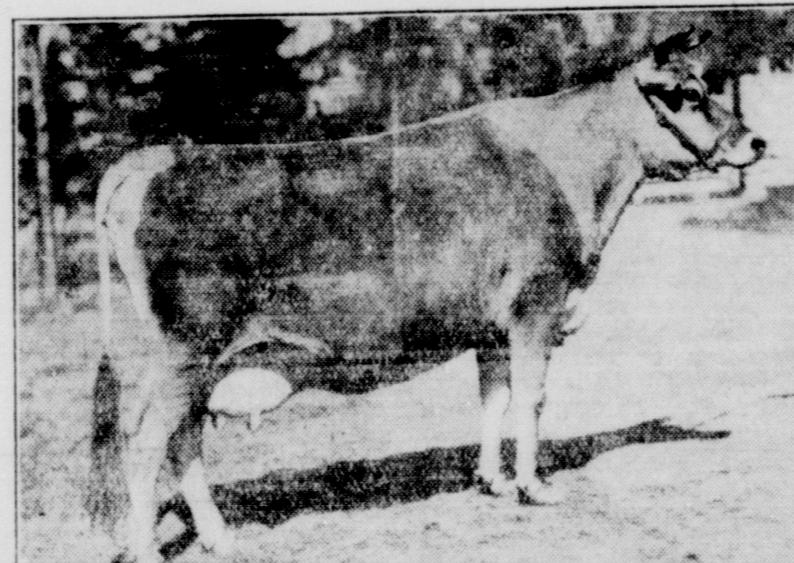
At Beltsville, Md., not far from Washington, it's a common sight to see a powerful Jersey bull easily hauling a loaded cart along the roads. And this bull is no ordinary bull; even an untrained eye can tell that. His bearing is regal: his sleek coat glistens in the sunlight. This bull was born of the purple. He was not raised to be a mere beast of burden. He is Oxford May's Int. Owl, a purebred Jersey and father of ten daughters which have won ten Silver Medals for meritorious production records.

Oxford May's Int. Owl, or "Ox" as he is facetiously called, nonchalantly hauls a cart for exercise, for a gentleman of his exalted cast in the dairy world may choose his own form of recreation. He belongs to that small and select circle of purebred sires chosen from among all other sires in the country by the United States Bureau of Dairy Industry to be used in experimental breeding at the Government Farm at Beltsville. Only eminent bulls are thus honored.

As a youngster Oxford May's Int. Owl was taught to haul a cart at the farm of W. P. Ladd, Worcester, Vermont, where he spent his early years. When he grew older and famous he continued to do odd hauling jobs just for the pleasure it gave him, and in 1928 when he was purchased from Mr. Ladd by the Bureau of Dairy Industry he took a full-time job of hauling and went at it with such zeal that he threw a mule into the ranks of the unemployed.

Oxford May's Int. Owl now has a lifetime lease on the job and his work is expected to enable the Bureau of Dairy Industry to determine the beneficial effects of regular exercise on a bull's breeding ability. The prestige now attached to his job has not in any way influenced his behavior, however, for only recently M. H. Fohrman, Senior Dairy Husbandman, expressed complete satisfaction with the work Oxford May's Int. Owl is doing. "He has worked for us for over a year now," Mr. Fohrman says, "and we have always found him quite tractable."

The Silver Medal daughters of Oxford May's Int. Owl made their production records in the purebred Jersey herd of M. P. Ladd, nine of ten yielding about 500 pounds of butterfat each in a single lactation. One daughter produced 709.99 pounds of butterfat during a 365-day test and three others produced above 600 pounds of butterfat. All were under 4 years of age when started on test and six daughters made their records as 2-year-olds.



IMP. CANCALAISE 696129

Imp. Cancalaise, an imported Jersey cow owned by Carl Tucker of Mt. Kisco, N. Y., has completed her second official production test, yielding 1,072.37 pounds of butterfat and 18,882 pounds of milk in 365 days. With this record Cancalaise again became national butterfat champion of cows imported from the Island of Jersey. She held this honor once previously with her record of 969.11 pounds of butterfat and 17,709 pounds of milk.

HOMES.

By Walter R. Adams

It's nice to have a spacious home, well-furnished, restful, bright, with rugs to grace the polished floors, and windows curtained white.

It's nice to have a lovely home, rare pictures on the wall, mahogany and silver things—but these are not—not all!

And it is very good to have a little home and bare—with neither prints nor curtains. If Love is ruler there,

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CASTROVILLE CULLINGS.
Castroville, August 3, 1932.

Mrs. Jake Mechler of San Antonio visited friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zimmermann and family of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Tschirhart Monday.

Otto Tondre is on a vacation this week.

Miss Corrine Mangold has returned after spending some time in San Antonio.

Miss Ella Hugh went to San Antonio and Boerne on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hans and Mr. and Mrs. James FitzSimon were in San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Pierpont of New Orleans is visiting Mrs. H. T. Lawler.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Schott and family were in Corpus Christi for a week.

Mrs. Robert FitzSimon and family have returned to San Antonio after spending three weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jagge were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schott and family have returned from a trip to Corpus Christi.

Mr. J. T. Lawler was in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hodge of San Antonio and Ralph de Montel of Houston spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel.

Mrs. H. E. Haass and Misses Irene Haass and Anne Davis visited at the de Montel Ranch Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar de Montel returned Saturday from a week's visit with relatives in Houston.

BCHL-SCHMIDT.

A beautiful wedding was solemnized Wednesday morning at 8:30, July 27, 1932, in St. Joseph's Catholic Church of Devine, when Miss Selma Schmidt became the happy bride to Mr. Eugene Bohl, with Rev. Lee Goertz officiating.

The Matron of Honor, Mrs. Bernard FitzSimon, who was the first to enter, wore green net and carried a net muff garlanded with lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids, Misses Mildred Schmidt and Adele Mechler, were similarly dressed in peach net and also carried muffs outlined with lilies of the valley. Turbans of net were worn corresponding to the net dresses in color.

The bride, who entered last, was lovely in white net over white satin, with a tulle veil and wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a white prayer book tied with satin ribbon and a shower of valley lilies.

The best man was Leo Bohl and groomsman was Leo Schmidt.

The bride is the second youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt of Devine, while the groom is the son of the late Eugene L. and Louisa Bohl of the same place.

An all day reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Later in the evening the newly wedded couple left for Eagle Pass and other parts in Mexico. They will return after August 1st, and will make their home in Devine.

Their many friends wish them luck and happiness.

CASTRO TIGERS NOSE OUT RIO MEDINA TIGERS.

The Castro Tigers were again victorious Sunday, July 31, when they defeated the Rio Medina Tigers at Rio Medina by a score of 5 to 3 which was full of interest from start to finish.

Castro Tigers

	A	B	R	H	O	A	E
T. Hans, 3b	5	0	0	9	1	1	
R. Reus, ss	3	1	1	2	3	2	
T. Tondre, 1b	5	1	2	6	0	0	
T. Reitzer, p	5	1	2	0	2	0	
H. Holzhaus, cf	4	1	2	0	0	1	
T. Hoog, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	
Wolmer, lf	4	0	9	1	0	0	
M. de Montel, 2b	4	1	1	3	1	0	
C. Tondre, c	4	0	1	15	0	1	
	38	5	9	27	6	5	

Rio Medina Tigers

	A	B	R	H	O	A	E
M. Mechler, 3b	4	0	0	2	4	0	
Schuhart, ss	4	1	0	2	1	0	
Kaufman, cf	4	1	0	1	0	1	
Halty, 1b	4	1	2	12	0	1	
Raff, c	4	0	0	7	0	0	
Reppert, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0	
Wengenroth, lf	3	0	0	1	0	1	
S. Haby, rf, p	4	0	1	1	0	0	
A. Boehme, p, rf, 3	0	0	0	3	0	0	
S. Haby	1	0	0	0	0	0	
	35	3	3	27	8	3	

Castro Tigers: 100-003-100-5
Rio Medina Tigers: 200-001-000-3

Two base hits: Reitzer, H. Holzhaus; Sacrifice: Holzhaus, C. Tondre. Left on bases: Castro Tigers, 6; Rio Medina Tigers, 5. Base on balls: Reitzer, 0; Boehme, 1. Struck out:

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by Reitzer, 15; by Boehme, 10; by Haby, 2. Innings pitched: by Reitzer, 9; by Boehme, 7; by Haby, 2. Umpires: Boehme and Jagge. Time: 1 hour and 55 minutes.

CASTROVILLE CHURCH NEWS.

On next Sunday, August 7, the Zion's Lutheran Congregation and Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at the shady Wengenroth's Grove in Rio Medina. Divine service will be held in the open air at the picnic ground at 10 o'clock. Everyone is invited to bring a basket dinner. At 2 o'clock there will be entertainment of plays and games. Supt. W. N. Saathoff and Rev. W. C. Leibfirth have been invited to address the adults. The general public is cordially invited to be present both in the morning and afternoon.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS.

In the matter of

HUBERT W. BUTTS

Bankrupt

No. 1677 In Bankruptcy TO THE CREDITORS OF SAID FSTATE: Notice is hereby given that the said Hubert W. Butts, a farmer of Hondo, Medina County, Texas, was duly adjudged a bankrupt on the 28th day of July, 1932, and that a hearing of the first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held before me on the 18th day of August, 1932, at ten o'clock A. M., in the United States Court of Bankruptcy, 902 Alamo National Building, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, at which time and place the creditors of said bankrupt may appear, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

Issued: July 29th, 1932.

H. M. AUDREY.
Referee in Bankruptcy.

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THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. O. B. Taylor entertained the ladies of the Thursday Bridge Club and several additional guests at bridge last Thursday afternoon. A beautiful color scheme was successfully carried out in floral decoration of pink Regina Corona and blue plumbago.

Mrs. E. J. Leinweber won high club prize and Mrs. M. I. Broxton the high guest. Cut prizes were awarded Mrs. L. J. Brucks and Mrs. Garland Martin.

The hostess served refreshments of peach ice cream and sponge cake.

Those present were Mesdams Horace Bradley, L. J. Brucks, L. E. Heath, J. M. Finger, H. J. Meyer, O. H. Miller, R. J. Noonan, W. H. Smith, Earl Starnes, Fletcher Davis, E. J. Murray, F. H. Schweers, Garland Martin, E. J. Leinweber, M. I. Broxton and Robert Kollman.

DR. AND MRS. KNOPP HOSTS.

The night membership of the Thursday Bridge Club made up the personnel of Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp's bridge, Wednesday evening. Zinnias in varied hues were artistically arranged about the home.

High score prizes were awarded to Mrs. O. B. Taylor and Dr. H. J. Meyer. Mrs. C. D. Eddleman was awarded guest prize.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finger, Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brucks, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rothe, Mrs. Horace Bradley and Mrs. C. D. Eddleman.

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Say It with Votes

ALFRED G. BRUCKS
(Political Advertising.)

A Capacious Can



Do you remember the story of the magic pot, which danced into the old woman's cottage, and cooked magic meals? The more the old woman and her husband ate, the more the pot cooked.

The nearest thing we know to this sort of a housewife's millennium is a No. 2 can of fruits for salad which can be extended and extended. It can serve four persons, six persons, eight persons, depending on how many fresh fruits in season, you add to it. If yours is a family of four persons, just chill the can, serve contents on crisp lettuce hearts with creamy mayonnaise. If guests increase your number to six, add bananas to the already delightful variety of fruits. If two more guests drop in, add apples and bananas—and your salad is even more delicious and healthful with minerals and vitamins.

Try this extension of the magic can:

Molded Cream Cheese and Fruit Salad:

Soak one-half tablespoon gelatin in one tablespoon cold water, then dissolve in two tablespoons hot milk. Add two well-mashed cream cheeses, one-half teaspoon salt and one-eighth teaspoon paprika. Fold in one cup heavy cream, whipped, and pour into a ring mold. Set away to harden. Open a No. 2 can of fruits for salad, add two sliced bananas, drain well and set away to chill. When ready to serve unmold the cheese ring on a large, round serving plate. Fill the center cavity with the fruit and pour over a French dressing with chopped fresh mint leaves. Garnish edges with small cup-shaped lettuce leaves, each holding a spoonful of mint jelly. This serves eight persons.



Better Breakfasts

Honeyballs Filled with Raspberries
Ready-to-Eat Cereal with Cream
Creamy Scrambled Eggs with Mushrooms
Jelly Muffins
Coffee

YOUNG Romance visualizes breakfast upon a balcony somewhere, overhanging gardens or something, and foods wafted up somehow—an altogether delightful Sometime. No eggs to fry, dear no! Nor pots and pans to wash!

Why ever wake up? Why not breakfast in some delightful window of your home, overlooking the garden or the window box, and feast on honeyballs filled with raspberries, say, creamy eggs with mushrooms and golden little jelly muffins—foods so simple to prepare that they are verily "wafted up!"

Creamy Scrambled Eggs with Mushrooms: Make a white sauce of two tablespoons of butter, one tablespoon flour, one cup of milk, and salt and pepper to taste. Cut the contents of one 4-ounce can of mushrooms in slices, and sauté for a few minutes in a little butter; then add to the hot sauce.

When hot, break in six eggs and combine gently with a fork, cooking at a low temperature until the eggs are done but not hard, and the whole mixture is creamy. This serves five to six persons.

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Set subject to Criminal Docket.

Robert S. Weynand and Theresa Bendele vs. Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., damages. Transferred to Federal Court, Western District, upon application of defendant.

W. E. Sorrell vs. San Antonio Suburban Irrigated Farms, suit for damages and cancellation of notes. Set subject to Criminal Docket.

James C. Shaw vs. Texas Employers Insurance Association, damages. Set for August 6th at 10 A. M.

Ora H. Harper vs. San Antonio Suburban Irrigated Farms, damages and cancellation of notes. Set subject to Criminal Docket.

Mrs. Mary Beard vs. W. R. Tewes and Jim Wiseman, damages. Continued by agreement.

Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Improvement Dist. 1 vs. San Antonio Suburban Irrigated Farms. Continued pending action of Federal Court.

Norman Hoover vs. Hulda Schwab, damages. Continued on application of defendant.

Frank Kempf, Devine dairyman, scheduled to be electrocuted in the Texas state penitentiary at Huntsville early Friday morning. The state board of pardons and paroles has made adverse reports to Governor R. S. Sterling on pleas of the condemned men for commutation of their sentence.

The early morning papers carried

no account of the execution, as they went to press too early, and the sheriff's office is without any information as we go to press. Barring intervention, however, the condemned paid with their lives shortly after midnight last night for their crime committed a little over a year ago.

DISTRICT COURT.

The regular term of the District Court of Medina County, Texas, was begun and held at the courthouse in Hondo, Monday, August 1st, with the following present: Honorable Lee Wallace, District Judge; K. K. Woodley, District Attorney; Emil Britsch, District Clerk; C. J. Schuehle, Sheriff; Mrs. Mabel Knox, official Court Stenographer.

The Court proceeded to empanel a Grand Jury, and the following were duly sworn and found qualified to serve as Grand Jurors: R. J. Kilough, Alfred Littleton, W. G. Driscoll, Henry Frerichs, Louis Schott, Arnold Finger, Gus Rothe, Harrison Wilson, Philip Nixon, Fritz Senne, Elmer Leinweber and O. E. Lacy. Fritz Senne was appointed foreman and administered the oath of Grand Jurors to them. The Grand Jury then retired to enter upon their duties. The Court appointed J. B. Dawson, J. A. Crawford and J. A. Powell as bailiffs for the Grand Jury.

On the same day it was ordered by the Court that the Criminal Docket be set for trial of cases on Monday, August 8th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On August 3rd as there was no demand made by any party for a Petit Jury for the first week of this term of Court, it was ordered by the Court that the Sheriff notify all jurors summoned for the first week not to appear.

On August 3rd the Grand Jury turned in indictments on five cases, all felonies. Cases are withheld here pending arrests. The Grand Jury examined the County jail and found it in first class condition. They also reported from their investigation the County in reference to law violations in good condition.

Proceedings.

Clyde Stevens vs. A. C. Morgan, foreclosure